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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

IN RE APPLICATION OF TAKASHI ET AL.

FOR: CAR FALL-PREVENTION APPARATUS

## PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT

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Dear Sir:

Before examining the present application, please amend the application as follows: